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For: VEIN HARVESTING SYSTEM AND METHOD

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are an Amendment and Response (8 pages), Petition for Extension of Period for Response (2 pages), and check in the amount of \$1010.00.

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- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 16-2312 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time.
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Respectfully submitted,

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